

DEMAND A FORFEIT

Holders of Hydraulic Bonds  
Want Their Interest.

WANT A RECEIVER APPOINTED

They Claim That the Bonds Are Due  
by the Terms of the Contract and  
Wish to Enforce It.

The American Loan and Trust company of Boston has filed a bill of complaint in the United States circuit court against the president and directors of the Grand Rapids Hydraulic company as the beginning of a suit to foreclose a mortgage issued to the complainant covering the entire plant of the hydraulic company of this city. The mortgage was executed to secure bonds dated September 9, 1889, to the amount of \$600,000, bearing interest at 6 per cent, payable semi-annually on the first days of January and July in each year. Each bond had attached coupon for \$30 each for the payment of the interest to accrue thereon. The bonds are now in the hands of various persons as holders thereof. It was provided in the mortgage that if the defendant failed to pay within ninety days any semi-annual interest after it became due, all of the principal of the outstanding bonds should become due. It is declared that the hydraulic company has defaulted in the payment of the interest due July 1, 1891, and that by the terms of the mortgage the whole amount of the debt \$600,000 is now due. The court is asked to decree that the hydraulic company pay forthwith the amount which shall be found to be due upon the bonds and coupons, and in default thereof that the court decree a sale of the defendant's property, with all of its waterworks, lands, machinery, pipes, outfit, and all its income, profits and revenue from whatever source; that a receiver may be appointed of all the mortgaged property until the further order of the court.

SPOILED HIS LITTLE GAME.

Detective Kennedy Captures a Slick Sneak Thief.

Clever work by the local detectives succeeded in bringing the thief who stole two fur coats from the front of Vossen Bros' store into the coils of the law. Detective Kennedy called at G. Zwinger's fur store and learned that an unknown man had left two fur coats there Thursday afternoon. The proprietor being out at the time, he went away leaving word that he would call again. Mr. Kennedy laid in wait for the fellow, and shortly afterwards he showed up. He was at once arrested and taken to headquarters, where he gave the name of Joseph Griffin, stating that he was a new comer from Chicago. He denies all knowledge of the coats and says that he came in to inquire for work. The prisoner is a man about 35 years of age and is positively identified by the lady clerks. Vossen Brothers have identified the coats. Whether or not the sneaker is also guilty of the various recent thefts committed Thursday afternoon remains undiscovered, but after he is given time for reflection it is thought that he will make a clean breast of the whole affair.

RESTRAINED BY THE COURT.

Isaac Lowenberg Granted a Temporary Injunction.

Judge Adair issued a temporary writ of injunction yesterday to Isaac Lowenberg of St. Joseph, Missouri, restraining Dunham, Buckley & Co. of New York, from selling goods formerly owned by Vossen Bros' under a mortgage assigned to the defendants by the Grand Rapids National bank. The complainant alleges in his bill that he lent the firm of Vossen Bros' sums amounting to \$3,802.01 for which he received a promissory note, and upon learning some time ago that the firm was embarrassed, he attached the stock. He afterwards learned that the stock had already been attached by the New York house to secure a claim of about \$7500. The complainant says he has offered to pay them the full amount of their claim with interest, \$566, if they would relinquish their attachment in his favor, but they for the purpose of depriving him of the benefits of his claim have refused to accept the offer, claiming that the mortgage is fraudulent.

Police Court Cases.

Charles Burns, the watch thief, waived examination in police court yesterday and was held for trial at the present term of the superior court; in default of \$500 bail he was sent to jail.

The boy, J. E. Russell, charged with complicity with Adair's Winters in the larceny of a steam boiler, was discharged from police court yesterday, the evidence against him being insufficient. His partner's case will be heard February 19.

Henry Vos, who was working his way to Muskegon, broke into a D. & M. freight car for the purpose of securing a ride. He was captured and was convicted in the police court yesterday. In default of \$10 and costs he went to jail for thirty days.

Court Notes.

The liquor case against Patrick Scully was called on for trial at the superior court yesterday. The case against Alexander Douglas was continued over the term.

A jury was reported for the Quarry street opening case yesterday and the venire was made returnable February 20.

William Kerwin, an inmate of the Soldiers' home, got drunk and his biliary grew to be disorderly. He was arrested and arraigned before Justice Hydrum, who sentenced him to ten days' imprisonment in the county jail.

Granted a Divorce.

Judge Adair signed a decree of divorce yesterday annulling the marriage heretofore existing between Olive Ritchart and James M. Ritchart. Mrs. Ritchart was granted a divorce on the grounds of cruelty and non-support, and she was given the custody of their 10-year-old daughter Nellie. The decree has been placed on file.

LAW AND LAWYERS.

Circuit Court—Part II.

JUDGE ADAIR.

In the matter of the estate of Frederick Schumler, deceased, appeal of Carl F. Schumler, appeal from probate court; order that bench warrant be issued.

Margaret McCormick vs. John Evans

and Bernard Engleton, trustees, judgment for defendant for costs and attorney fee of \$25.

Herbert Hairs vs. Andrew Whalen, chancery; continued over the term.

Superior Court.

JUDGE BURLINGAME.

The People vs. Patrick Scully, selling liquor without paying state tax; no plea; order on motion of prosecuting attorney.

The People vs. Alexander Douglas, saloon open after hours; continued over the term by consent.

In re, of the opening of Quarry street; jury selected and venire ordered returnable on February 26.

Police Court.

JUDGE HACKETT.

Thomas L. Healy, drunk; sentence suspended on payment of costs. A. Whitley, drunk; committed for fifteen days. Mrs. Gerardus Keil, disorderly; adjourned to February 26. J. S. Russell, larceny less than \$25; discharged. A. Winter, larceny less than \$25; adjourned to February 26. Henry Vos, breaking and entering a railway car; committed for thirty days. John Otten, selling liquor to minors; adjourned to February 13. Fred Thorne and Fred Platte, saloon open on Sunday; adjourned to February 24. Chas. Burns, larceny of more than \$25; held for trial at present term of superior court. Walter Hill; disorderly; adjourned to February 13.

Probate Court.

JUDGE PERKINS.

Estate of John Speas, deceased; petition for probate of will filed; hearing May 4.

Estate of William Tennis, deceased; petition for administration filed; hearing March 11.

Estate of Maria Liewald, deceased; will admitted to probate and Herman M. Liewald appointed executor.

Estate of Polly Gorham, deceased; will admitted to probate and Reuben A. Gorham appointed administrator.

Estate of Mary Ellen Hoover, deceased; will admitted to probate and Lucinda Sprague appointed executor.

Estate of Cornelius Zindweg, deceased; will admitted to probate and Paulina Zindweg appointed executor.

Estate of William G. Stebbins, deceased; administrator's final account filed; hearing March 11.

Estate of Lipke Dykstra, deceased; John Dykstra appointed administrator.

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